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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CELL SORTING

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the final Official Action dated 27 February 2006, and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, please enter and consider the following amendments: